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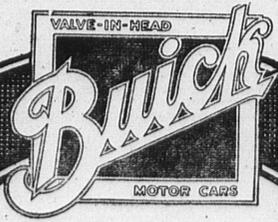
TUES. and WED.

"The Female," starring Betty Compson—South African Adventure-Romance. Directed by Sam Wood. Telephone Girl Comedy. Hodge Podge novelty reel.

## CITY LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Tonight First National Bank vs Paxman's Tigers and Tansey's Barbers vs Union Club at

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# TOWNE TALKS

"Just for Fun" By RAS BERRY

There is a passel of fresh dukes around town that seem to think it's a big joke to keep reminding Ras and Dr. Shidler about what Red Grange of Illinois did to the U. of Mich. footballers last Sat. Ras and Doc Shidler is old U. of Mich. students. Doc was in college when Willie Heston was playing basketball for his team. There when Maule Maubetsch hugged the skin for Yost. But these fresh bozos don't seem to remember their players and just keep harping about last Sat. all the time. There was a day when everybody in Mich. always wrote III, for Illinois, but now I guess they're spelling it out to the full length.

Sam Levy has got a lot that he paid \$3.50 taxes on last yr. and this year he is taxed about 36 cents more for even after the rig next to the lot has been fore down and Sam presented with a quit claim to his lot.

And now what oughta be done is to put another axe in taxes. Nothing is sure but death and taxes is a true saying but it's easier to kick off than pay off.

## TWENTY YEARS FROM TODAY

Adolph McClutch was arrested today by Chief of Police I. M. Harder for smoking a cigarette in his bedroom. The chief was walking by McClutch's home and seen a cloud of smoke drifting out of a window. The chief ascended to the window level on his one-man pocket balloon and peering in was astounded to see the culprit calmly inhaling smoke from the prohibited bag and blowing it out evenly through his nostrils. McClutch pleaded guilty before Judge Willie Plum and was sentenced to cross the intersection of Carson street and Arlington avenue every afternoon three times between the hours of 4 and 5 p. m. A group of mental citizens are circulating a petition requesting the court to commute the sentence to death by hanging. The petition declares that McClutch's principles to subject even such a hardened offender as McClutch to such an ordeal which is very likely to be terminated by death after severe suffering.

When I get bigger I am going to Sunday School, says Little Ras. Then I will learn about dollars. No you won't says Ras, you will learn about God. Well you learn dollars at your office and I'll learn dollars at Sunday School, he says. Ras straightened him out on that little problem and told him there was a difference between earn and didn't, that it's like carrying coals to Newcastle to add a little ell to earn.

Ted Frenger and Wallace Post has both bought fog horns to carry and toot when they are playing early morning golf these days.

Geo. Proctor says that when he gets his tax notice he hopes the ladder hanging down from it so he can grab ahold and be gone from here.

The other day as the sun was preparing to slide under the western horizon Dick Smith closed up his desk and prepared to leave the office. He got to the door and remembered that he had left his pipe behind. He hunted for the old dudder, but couldn't locate it no place. So he hunted and he hunted and he hunted and then Geo. Proctor came in as Dick was on his hands and knees looking under the desk. What're you looking for says Geo. My pipe says Dick. It's in your mouth says Geo. It was. Nobody was hurt.

News is middlin this wk.

## Aid Society Holds Its Birthday Party

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church celebrated its third birthday Tuesday, Oct. 21. A large number of ladies gathered at 10 o'clock, and took up sewing in final preparation for the bazaar to be held Nov. 14. At 12:30 all gathered around the beautifully decorated tables and enjoyed the delicious luncheon served by the entertainment committee. The attraction at the center table was a group of three lighted candles massed round with clematis, while a daintily decorated birthday cake also bore three candles.

Mrs. Creighton was lady of ceremonies, and called on the past presidents, who gave short talks. Mrs. F. W. Warren, the first president, served for three months, and was followed by Mrs. Campbell, who served until the end of the conference year. Mrs. Creighton, the third president, was succeeded by Mrs. E. N. Tomkins. The aid society has steadily gained under the leadership of the four presidents, and Miss Mary Spoon, who was installed president at the business meeting which followed the luncheon, is eminently fitted to carry on the good work. Others who gave helpful talks were Mrs. John Young, Rev. and Mrs. Essig, and Mrs. Johns and Mrs. Ludlow, who were guests. Six new members joined the organization at the afternoon meeting.

Mrs. A. J. Ferguson has moved from Kern Court to 1903 Gramercy avenue.

## Lomita Residents Request Election For Incorporation

Residents of Lomita on Nov. 3 will present to the board of supervisors of Los Angeles a petition requesting the board to call an election for the purpose of deciding whether Lomita shall incorporate as a city. A strenuous campaign is being waged by proponents and opponents of incorporation in the neighboring community. The petition was signed by 116 persons.

## Keystone Dance Tomorrow Night

The next big social event in Keystone will be held tomorrow night in the Keystone hall, when a ladies' prize dance will be given under the auspices of the Keystone Boosters.

## BOWLING NOTES

Scores of recent matches at the American bowling alleys follow:	
Americans—	Total
Harvey.....	168 159 151 578
Von.....	168 224 149 541
Deininger.....	176 188 186 550
MacDonald.....	170 162 158 500
Clark.....	198 153 197 558
880 998 846 2727	
Total	
Emasco.....	146 182 177 505
Cleaver.....	155 206 139 499
Austin.....	141 202 189 532
Burmester.....	163 156 177 496
Johnson.....	163 118 207 488
768 886 889 2520	

City League	
Hendrie Tire—	
J. Deck.....	169 146 218 533
F. Miller.....	138 181 143 465
G. Cleaver.....	176 167 173 516
E. Cleaver.....	149 107 158 414
H. Deck.....	193 148 188 529
2457	
Total	
Red and Blue—	
W. L. Reeve.....	105 128 88 321
W. Woodington.....	175 172 118 465
Geo. Jolly.....	133 167 189 491
Cal Alverson.....	151 168 182 481
Lee Taylor.....	131 146 134 411
2175	

Palmer Service—	
D. Palmer.....	155 147 157 459
F. Palmer.....	133 168 182 483
L. Paxton.....	117 144 122 383
D. Baxter.....	120 169 169 458
J. Cook.....	152 132 179 463
2222	
Total	
Day and Night Garage—	
J. M. Higgins.....	156 159 150 465
C. Vonderahe.....	132 188 182 482
Von Hagen.....	203 156 179 538
J. Hanson.....	147 150 156 453
B. Clark.....	163 168 173 504
2438	

Day and Night Garage—	
Higgins.....	191 175 136 502
Vonderahe.....	127 132 146 405
Hanson.....	116 146 161 423
Stematz.....	199 201 179 579
Von Hagen.....	185 163 154 502
2411	
Total	
Red and Blue—	
Jolly.....	157 137 167 461
Winters.....	157 173 154 484
Brady.....	155 167 146 468
Gerluff.....	157 149 133 439
Taylor.....	197 131 160 491
2343	

Hendrie Tire—	
J. Deck.....	181 149 151 481
Miller.....	129 165 162 456
C. Cleaver.....	156 179 160 495
G. Cleaver.....	152 179 210 541
H. Deck.....	163 233 197 593
781 905 880 2566	
Total	
Gipe.....	163 135 161 459
Austin.....	136 143 165 444
Dellomorte.....	132 136 160 428
Cook.....	138 196 199 533
Baxter.....	150 118 161 429
719 728 846 2293	

The American—	
Kabertz.....	195 153 206 554
Von Hagen.....	161 157 200 518
Alverson.....	132 178 173 483
Newby.....	197 146 177 520
Deininger.....	225 205 185 615
911 830 941 2691	
Total	
Hendrie Tire—	
J. Deck.....	138 208 169 515
F. Miller.....	129 195 198 522
E. Cleaver.....	135 137 223 495
G. Cleaver.....	156 169 170 495
H. Deck.....	185 188 183 556
813 897 943 2653	

Ladies' Prize Dance—Keystone Hall tomorrow night.—Adv.

Notice—Coles Variety Store has purchased another bankrupt stock at 2 1/2 cents on the \$1.00. Goes on sale Saturday at 3 a. m. Watch Coles Store for big values.—Adv.

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## The Voice Of the People

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Who said a trustee meeting Monday evening, Oct. 20th? I would call it a "smoker." Yes, that is just what it was. Smoking was very popular during the evening. Cigars, cigarettes, and here and there a pipe. First a cigar, next a cigarette, then a pipe, until it grew so dense you had to beat it with your hand to get your breath. Both ladies and gentlemen supposed to be at these meetings. One lady entered the door and finally through the clouds found a chair and, believe me, she had some nerve to venture into that smoke and stay through the proceedings. When the door opened passersby must have thought City Hall on fire. Finally most everything was shelled but the smokers and smoke but—"Nobody hurt."

## Officers To Attend District Gathering

Federation officers who have signified their intention to attend the district meeting of Harbor Division P. T. A. Nov. at the Lomita High school auditorium include Mrs. F. O. McCullough, federation president; Mrs. Belle M. Hopps, chairman of officers; Mrs. Fletcher Scott, historian, and chairman of the P. T. A. Magazine; Mrs. H. C. Bowers, membership chairman; and Mrs. B. F. Ferris, hospitality chairman. Mrs. Hopps will discuss the Community Chest, in which Lomita and Torrance are particularly interested, since we are in the Los Angeles city school district. Short talks will be given by the other officers on matters pertaining to their departments. Mrs. Groves, councillor of the Harbor District, confidently expects that every member of the local organization will do her share toward making this first district meeting an unqualified success. She will not be disappointed.

## MOVES MISSION

Evangelist M. F. Cameron is moving his gospel mission from Carson street to 1343 El Prado. He expects to be in the new quarters today.

## GHOSTS TO WALK

The Goblins, Ghosts and Witches will hold a conclave at the First Methodist church Tuesday evening, Oct. 30. There will be no admission charge to those coming in costume. Fines will be exacted from those without Halloween togs.

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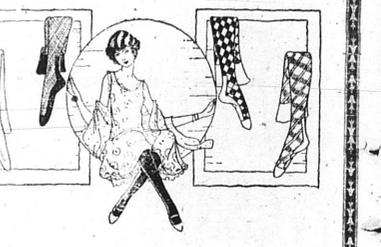
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